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JAPANESE MINISTER TALKS

Shows the Source of the Great Confidence in Japanese Finances.

WHOLE COUNTRY IS INTERESTED

The Whole Country as One Man in its Willingness to Sacrifice the Last Man and the Last Cent—Coming Diet Will Cheerfully Pass a Budget Calling For $388,000,000—Ample capacity Being Shown to Finance the War Without Interfering With Economic Relations—Foreign Trade Actually Gaining.

Tokio, By Cable.—Discussing the war and the domestic, financial and political conditions of Japan on the eve of the assembling of the Diet, with the correspondent of the Associated Press, Premier Kaisuria said:

"To insure peace in the Orient and to safeguard our national existence, is the aim and purpose of our empire, and no sacrifice shall be too great for successfully effecting this purpose. Russia, besides violating her pledges in Manchuria, crowned her overbearing and aggressive policy by extending her arms to the Korean peninsula.

"We are highly solicitous to preserve peace, but had no alternative save that of war, which was forced upon us. Throughout the negotiations Russia showed a haughty and overbearing attitude, which, as has lately been shown, w sainadequately supported by military strength. Russia allowed herself to be deceived, and slighted our empire, for she never believed Japan would draw the sword of war. Then, after suffering repeated defeats on land and sea, Russia perceived the mistake she had made, and, having discovered the seriousness of the situation, began to take adequate measures. The case was different with us. We were alive to the seriousness of the situation and were prepared for exigencies.

"Russia must see that the war cannot be concluded by the issues of a few battles. With us, the war means life or death, and not one of our 45,000,000 remains ignorant of the vital issue at stake. We are prepared to sacrifice our last man or our last cent for this war.

"The delay in the decisive result of our siege at Port Arthur gives Russia hope of being able to relieve the garrison, and for this purpose she resolved to empty her naval defense at home, while on land corps after corps has been mobilized and sent eastward.

"The military and naval plan of Russia seems to center in the relief of Port Arthur, and General Kuropatkin's southward advance, which resulted in his serious defeat, had the relief of the garrison as its sole object. The Russian Emperor's instructions to Kuropatkin not to retire beyond Mukden were designed to raise the gloom that had been hanging over the people of Russia since the defeat of Russian arms at the battle of Liao Yang; and Kuropatkin assumed the aggressive, perhaps against his own judgment.

"Everything seems to hinge on the fall of Port Arthur, but I do not console myself with the thought that the capture of the ill-fated fortress will bring the war to a speedy termination. Its capture will give occasion for renewed plans of warfare by Russia, and I am watching keenly for such new developments.

"The domestic conditions of Japan are highly satisfactory. The history of our Diet may be summed up by saying that from the first it planted itself firmly in opposition to the government on financial questions. After my appointment, friction became increasingly violent. The two great parties, the constitutionalists and the progressists, hold a combined front in opposition to my ministry. Despite administrative reforms effected on their demand, we failed to satisfy them. They criticized our financial measures as excessive, and refused to pass the bills.

Judging by these conditions, serious collisions between the governed and governing were predicted, but when the war came, this friction entirely ceased, and the House of Representatives, wrich once refused to pass a budget of $125,000,000 as excessive and unbearable, gave a ready and willing assent to the first war budget of $288,000,000.

"At this session of the diet, the government will be compelled to present a budget calling for $388,000,000, and indications are that it will be passed without the slightest difficulty. This happy phenomenon is attributable to the characteristics of our people.

"Before a great national problem our people unite, and friends and opponents join hands for the accomplishment of our national purposes. With the great problem of the war before them, the people of our nation have become as one man. We have no war party and no peace party, as Russia has, but, on the contrary, our nation is one, and united with a determination to fight to the last extremity."

NORTH SEA AGREEMENT.

London, By Cable.—The Foreign Office has issued the following English transaction of the declaration signed at St. Petersburg by Sir Charles Hardinge, the British ambassador, and Count Lamsdorff, the Russian Foreign Minister: "His Britannic majesty's government and the imperial Russian government having agreed to entrust to an international commission of inquiry assembled conformably to Articles IX to XIV of The Hague convention of July 29, 1899, for the Pacific settlement of international disputes, the task of elucidating by means of an impartial and conscientious investigation the questions of fact connected with the incident which occurred during the night of October 21-22, 1904, in the North Sea (on which occasion the firing of guns on the Russian fleet caused the loss of a boat and the death of two persons belonging to a British fleet, as well as damaging to other boats of that fleet and injuries to the crews of some of those boats), the undersigned, being duly authorized thereto, have agreed upon the following provisions:

"Article I. The international commission of inquiry shall be composed of five members (commissioners) of whom two shall be officers of high rank in the British and imperial Russian navies, respectively. The governments of France and of the United States shall each be requested to select of their naval officers of high rank as a member of the commission. The fifth shall be chosen as a member of the commission. The fifth member shall be chosen by agreement between the four members above mentioned; in the event of no agreement being arrived at between the four commissioners as to the selection of the fifth member of the commission, his imperial and royal majesty the Emperor of Austria and King of Hungary will be invited to select him. Each of the two high contracting parties shall likewise appoint a legal assessor to advise the commissioners, and an agent officially empowered to take part in the labors of the commission.

"Article II. The commission shall inquire into and to report on all circumstances relative to the North Sea incident, and particularly on the question as to where the responsibility lies and the degree of blame attaching to subjects of the two high contracting parties or to subjects of other countries in the event of their responsibility being established by the inquiry.

"Article III. The commission shall settle the details of procedure which it will follow for the purpose of accomplishing the task wherewith it has been entrusted.

"Article IV. The two high contracting parties undertake to supply the commission, to the utmost of their ability, with all the means and facilities necessary in order to enable it to acquaint itself thoroughly with and appreciate correctly the matters in dispute.

Commander Leaves.

Vladivostock, By Cable.—Rear Admiral Haup, commander of the port for the last three years, has departed. Private advices from Port Arthur indicate that the position there is not so desperate as it is reported abroad. The Japanese are represented to be repairing the cruiser Kasuga and 10 torpedo boat destroyers. They have established a sub-naval base on the Elliott Islands, a short distance east of Port Arthur.

White House Functions.

Washington, Special.—The program of receptions and dinners at the White House for the season of 1905 has been announced as follows:

January 2, Monday, New Year, reception, 11 a. m. to 1.30 p. m.; January 5, Thursday, cabinet dinner, 8 p. m.; January 12, Thursday, diplomatic reception, 9 to 10:30 p. m; January 19, Thursday, diplomatic dinner 8 p. m.; January 26, Thursday, judicial reception, 9 to 10.30 p. m.; February 2, Thursday, Supreme Court dinner, 8 p. m.; February 9, Thursday, congressional reception, 9 to 10:30 p. m.; February 16, Thursday, army and navy reception 9 to 10:30 p. m.

Well Known Attorney Dead.

Laredo, Tex., Special. — Redford Sharpe, Assistant United States attorney, aged 32 years, died here Sunday of bronchial pneumonia. Mr. Sharpe was a son of Dr. Redford Sharpe, deceased, a former surgeon of the navy. He was a graduate of the Yale Law School in the class of 1893. He was appointed to his position here by President McKinley in 1898 and reappointed in 1902.

Alleged Defaulter For $6,000.

Williamson, W. Va., Special.—Charged with being a defaulter in the sum of $6,000, from the Norfolk & Western Railroad, Richard Anderson, the agent at Canterbury, was arrested and is now in jail at Williamson. Anderson, who is of a prominent Virginia family, is alleged to have appropriated checks sent to him to pay off employes at the mines.

Robbers Blow Up a Bank.

Baltimore, Md., Special.—A special from La Plata, Charles county, Md., says that a number of men blew up and practically destroyed the building of the Southern Maryland Savings Bank early Thursday morning. They secured $8,000 in cash. Nitro-glycerine is supposed to have been the explosive used. The robbers, after securing the money, made their escape, but cut the telegraph and telephone wires before leaving the vicinity. The government line from the proving grounds at the Indian Head to Washington was found to be in working order, and the police of Washington and Baltimore of the mutineers were wounded.

Japanese on the Offensive.

St. Petersburg, By Cable.—The following dispatch has been received from General Kuropatkin: "On Nov. 26, the Japanese resumed the offensive and endeavored to envelop our left flank whilst advancing against our center. I have received no later reports." General Kuropatkin also describes the bayoneting of twenty Japanese belonging to a patrol during a reconnaissance the night of Nov. 25.

ARE STILL IN GOOD FORM

Troops in High Spirits and now Number 300,000—Both Armies Housed Principally in Caves.

Chefoo, By Cable—Greater Kuropatkin is the possessor of a new 20-horse power automobile, with which he is able to rush at high speed from one part to another of the line, 25 miles long, according to M. Ravoir, who reached here Monday from Mukden. M. Ravoir spent three weeks with Kuropatkin, who wished to secure 20 autos, specially constructed to carry ammunition speedily in emergencies. He will only use them in winter, when the Manchurian roads are in excellent condition. On his first trip in the new automobile, Kuropatkin's only comment was: "I have the advantage of General Shafter."

The Chinese now regard Kuropatkin and his machine with superstitious awe, believing the latter to be an atrociously powerful specimen of the "foreign devil."

M. Ravoir said: "The two armies lie facing each other, each having three fortified lines. The soldiers of both armies live mostly in caves, behind their trenches, which, when covered with snow, have the appearance of a great host of polar bears waiting to spring at each other. The caves are warm even without fire. The Russian troops are in the best of spirits and have unlimited confidence in their leaders. They expect Kuropatkin to attack during the winter. The Russian forces now number 300,000 men. The cavalrymen from the Don district are superior to their Siberian comrades. The former are intelligent, brave and active, and have fine, powerful horses.

"There are only a few hundred wounded at Mukden, and 30,000 wounded at Harbin.

"I came out on the Siberian railroad, which seemed to be doing its tremendous work smoothly.

"The warehouses along the railroad between Mukden and Harbin are full of supplies, which are almost untouched, as, up to the present time, the army has subsided chiefly on the country.

"The handling of the Russian artillery is improving, while the Japanese artillery fire seems less effective. Originally, the Russians did not conceal their artillery, which the Japanese quickly disabled. Now the Russians handle and conceal their guns with perfect science.

"The belief is general at Mukden that Port Arthur will hold out till relieved, no matter how long the much expected Russian second Pacific squadron may take in reaching the Far East.

"General Kuropatkin is not talkative. His only reference to the war was: 'The war is progressing as I wish.'

Statue to Wade Hampton.

Columbia, S. C., Special.—A contract was entered into Monday morning between the Hampton monument commission and Sculpter F. Wellington Ruckstuhl, for the equestrian statue of Wade Hampton, in accordance with the model which the sculptor has submitted to the commission. The price to be paid is $330,000, and the monument, which is to be placed on the east side of the front steps of the capitol building, is to be delivered in two years. The monument will be 28 feet high and will show the gallant leader hat in hand on a charge. The inscriptions follow:

South side—"Erection by Citizens of this State, 1906."

North side—"Born March 18, 1818—died April 11, 1902."

East side—"Governor of South Carolina, 1876-1879. United States Senator, 1893-1895."

West side—"Lieutenant General Confederate States Army."

On the shield just below his horse's head will be the general's last words—"My people, white and black—God bless them all."

On the eight shields around the base of the monument will be inscribed the names of the eight most prominent battles in which he took part: First Manassas, Brandy Station, Gettysburg, Manassas, Sappeny Church, Burgess Mill and Bentonville.

Robbery and Murder in New York.

New York, Special.—With her head crushed in, the body of Mrs. Margaret Keeler, was found in her apartment, on the upper East Side of New York. Nearby was a 10-inch coupling pin, with which she had evidently been murdered, for one end of it was covered with blood. The flat had been robbed of jewelry and money.

Peace Jubilee Exposition.

Chattanooga, Special.—Last week the first announcement was made of a formal movement to hold in this city in 1915 a World's Fair to be known as the semi-centennial peace jubilee exposition, commemorating the end of the war between the States. It is learned that the assurances of aid from the Government and the various organizations has been secured. The following address explaining the nature of the exposition, has been issued: From 1861 to 1865 there was in these United States the greatest civil war the world has ever seen. Peace between the States was established on April 9th, 1865.

Brief Speech at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Special.—The special train bearing President Roosevelt to Washington from St Louis arrived at Pittsburg Monday night at 8.39 and departed ten minutes later. A large and enthusiastic crowd was present at the Union Station. The President spoke briefly. A large squad of police and detectives was lined up on either side of the train during its stay in this city, and every precaution was taken for the President's safety.

SWAYNE TESTIFIES

Progress Of Investigation Of Famous Case

THE ENMITY TO HIM IS POLITICAL

Bitter Feeling Created by the Prosecution of the Florida Election Frauds of 1888 in His Court—The District Afterwards Divided by a Democratic Congress—Use of Private Car and Conduct in Contempt Cases Defended—Boone's Cross-Examination Resumed—Attorney Liddon Admits Having Received An Illegal Pension Fee.

Washington, Special.—Mrs. Susan Downs, was the first witness heard Monday by the House judiciary committee, which is investigating the Judge Swayne case. She keeps a boarding house at Waco, Tex., where Judge Swayne stopped three times when he held court in that city. She charged Judge Sawyer at the rate of $40 per Judge Swayne at the rate of $40 per when he was accompanied by Mrs. Swayne.

The cross-examination of Robert J. Boone, of Florida, was then resumed, Attorney Liddon, for the prosecution, endeavoring to connect Boone with John M. Calhoun in the bankruptcy proceedings against Hoskins.

While Attorney Higgins was conducting a re-direct examination of Boone concerning the Hoskins bankruptcy, Mr. Palmer, of the sub-committee, objected to his line of questions and the answers.

"There seems to be a disposition on the part of the witness," he said, "to blacken the character of this old man Hoskins with every answer he makes."

A little later Boone testified that he filed a claim of John M. Calhoun against Hoskins, after the case had been going some time.

"That was when you needed more claims to keep your petition going," observed Mr. Clayton, of the sub-committee.

Boone denied that any conspiracy or arrangement between himself and Calhoun existed against Hoskins. He also said he could not remember whether he had suggested Calhoun as a receiver for the Hoskins property, but thought not. He said the reason he refused to settle when checks were offered to pay some of the claims against Hoskins, was that no offer was made to pay the costs. Boone asserted that it was never brought to the attention of the court that Hoskins was willing to settle in full with his creditors.

During the examination of Boone he explained that indictment against himself alluded to last Saturday. He said he was charged with the embezzlement of $30, and said the charge was the result of a disputed claim over insurance with a travelling agent of the company which he (Boone) represented as local agent. Mr. Palmer subjected Boone to a searching inquiry concerning the letter signed by a rubber stamp with Boone's name, which urged the prosecution of C. D. Hoskins for contempt in order to "break down old man Hoskins." He was asked who could have written the letter if not himsel. The witness replied that he did not know unless it might have been a son of Judge Liddon, who was around the office a great deal. Asked as to the motive any person other than himself could have had in writing the letter, he said that it would have been to connect Judge Swayne with the case by making testimony before this committee; that if the letter remained uncontradicted it would show a conspiracy, or, he added, not that exactly, but a connection between himself, Tunison and Calhoun with the Hoskins case. The letter, he said, must have been forged after proceedings were started against Swayne.

Mr. Palmer asked him if he did not make an affidavit that Hoskins was about to dispose of his property, and Boone replied in the affirmative.

"And on that affidavit," said Mr. Palmer, "Judge Swayne issued an order attaching Hoskins' property and depriving him of the use of it and stopping his business?"

"Yes," replied the witness. "Of course his business could not go on after the attachment was made."

Attorney Higgins said that he desired to ask Mr. Liddon, the attorney for the prosecution, some questions on cross-examination.

"Have you ever been informed against for receiving an illegal fee in a pension case?"

Liddon answered in the affirmative, and it was brought out that he had received one-third of the amount collected—something over $2,000. He had made a contract with the pensioner for such a fee, which was paid back after the information had been lodged. Mr. Liddon then made a statement concerning the matter. It was, he said, his first and last pension case, and happened thirty years ago. It had not affected his standing in Florida. Since then he had been elected Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Florida and had been unanimously elected a delegate to the Democratic national convention.

Coxey Goes Into Bankruptcy.

Columbus, O., Special.—Gen. Jacob S. Coxey, once a leader of the "commonweal" army, filed a personal petition in bankruptcy in the United States Court. His liabilities are given as $287,000. His assets consist of 2,560 shares of stock in the Coxey Steel and Silica Sand Company and an unsecured note for $11,000. The Coxey Steel and Silica Sand Company is in the hands of a receiver.

NORTH STATE NOTES

Occurrences of Interest in Various Parts of the State.

Geneal Cotton Market.

Galveston quiet	9 5-16
New Orleans, easy	9 3-16
Mobile, easy	9
Savannah nominal	9¼
Charleston, quiet	9
Wilmington, steady	9¼
Baltimore, nominal	9¾
New York, steady	9.76
Philadelphia, quiet	9.95
Houston, quiet	9¼
Augusta, quiet	9 3-16
Memphis, quiet	9¼
St. Louis, quiet	9¼
Louisville, firm	9¾

Charlotte Cotton Market.

These figures represnt prices paid to wagons:

Good middling	9¼
Strict middling	9¼
Middling	9⅛

Work on New Railroad.

Durham, Nov. 25.—Work on the New Hope Valley Railway, from a point between Merry Oaks and New in 8 miles of Durham, is progressing very rapidly. About 12 miles of the 20 miles to be graded has been completed. It is proposed to have the entire 20 miles completed by June 1st of next year. Justice of the Peace Fred H. Williams, who lives in Chatham county and is interested in the building of the road, was in Durham today, and from him facts regarding the road was learned. The charter calls for a road 20 miles long, and this will bring the road within 3 miles of Chapel Hill and 8 miles of Durham. The ultimate intentions are to connect the road, either here or at Chapel Hill, with other roads. It is more than probable that the road will come here. This will give the people of Durham a direct southern outlet for both freight and passenger traffic. The road is getting its financial backing from W. R. Bonsal, of Hamlet, and other capitalists. There is plenty of money back of the road to complete it to any point desired. Durham people are extremely anxious for the road to come here, and some time ago the chamber of commerce appointed a committee to look into the matter. When the time arrives Durham people will probably contribute to the building of the road. Mr. Williams says that at the present time 150 men and 75 mules are employed in grading the road. The work is being pushed as rapidly as possible. In addition to opening up and placing on the market a valuable timber section, the road may mean great things later on. It will give a shorter route south for the Seaboard road, and the Norfolk and Western will have a fine southern outlet for handling freight to points south.

Wake Forest Wins.

Raleigh, Special.—At the Academy of Music Thursday evening the third inter-collegiate debate between Richmond and Wake Forest Colleges was held. The building was packed, nearly all the Wake Forest students having come on a special train and nearly 300 young women from the Baptist University here being on hand to cheer for them. Thomas B. Womack presided and the judges of debate were James B. Sheppard, Platt D. Walker and Fred A. Woodward. The query was, "Resolved, That advanced nations should control, for the world's benefit, the territory occupied by backward races." Richmond College made the affirmative side, its speakers being B. M. Simmons and F. G. Pollard. Wake Forest took the negative, its orators being Joseph Patton and A. H. Olive. It was evident to evrybody that the representatives of Wake Forest were by far the best speakers, and even before the debate was concluded it was clear that Wake Forest would win, as the judges decided. The audience was very enthusiastic, and handsome boquets were given to the speakers. The marshals were: W. L. Wyatt and J. Abner Parker, chiefs; C. D. McBrayer, R. H. Ferrell, W. H. Witherspoon and R. D. Johnson, assistants.

Wealthy Farmer Kills Tenant.

Covington, Ga., Special.—W. J. Blankinshop, an aged white man of Oak Hill, 12 miles west of Covington, was shot and killed by J. A. Scott, a wealthy bachelor farmer of that community. Blankinship rents lands from Scott and it is reported that the two men have had difficulties recently over matters pertaining to the division of Blankinship's crop.

North Carolina Lost to Virginia.

Richmond, Va., Special.—In the annual Thanksgiving football contest here Thursday the University of Virginia defeated the University of North Carolina by the close margin of one point, the score being 12 to 11.

In the first half Carolina made one touch down and failure to kick goal cost the Tar Heels the game. In the second half Carolina made one touchdown to Virginia's two. Till near the end of the game, victory seemed certain for the Tar Heels, and the unexpected ending made them cast down, but not discouraged.

North State News.

The state grants charters to the following corporations: Central Hotel Company, Charlotte, $200,000 capital stock, W. H. Twitty, George E. Brockenbrough and W. B. Ryder stockholders; R. D. Godwin (incorporated) Raleigh, to make lumber, shingles, brick, etc., Blanche Moore Godwin, being the principal stockholder, the capital stock being $50,000; the Kernersville Improvement Company to deal in real estate, C. C. Sapp, of Winston-Salem, being the principal stockholder.

A WRECK ON COAST LINE

Serious Wreck on Atlantic Coast Line Near Tarboro.

Tarboro, Special.—While waiting for a southbound freight train to take siding at Kingsboro early Monday morning local freight train No. 121, bound for Norfolk, was plowed into at the rear end by the Plymouth freight, coming from Rocky Mount. There was a heavy fog and it is said the flagman of No. 121 was not stationed far enough back to signal the engineer of the approaching train in time to stop. Beyond the damage to the caboose and a box car of the northbound train, the slight injury to the engineer of the local freight, and a shaking up of those on board, no other harm was done. The damaged cars were soon removed to the shops and traffic resumed.

A Registrar Acquitted.

Asheville, Special.—Registrar Frank Sumner, of Limestone township, was tried and acquitted on a charge of refusing to allow Robert Johnson to vote on election day. The warrant was sworn out by Mr. Johnson charging that the registrar had unlawfully denied him the right of suffrage. He claimed that he was over 50 years of age, and therefore exempt from poll tax liability. The defendant registrar contended that Johnson had not paid his poll tax; that he was still liable and that under the laws of the State he was not entitled to vote. After hearing the evidence the magistrate decided that the charges against the registrar was groundless and dismissed the case.

Robber Captured.

Lumberton, Special.—Henry Duncan, colored, of Rutherfordton, was captured here early Monday morning while burglarizing the store of L. H. Caldwell, and three pistols, several watches, rings and other articles were found on his person. He made a desperate fight, firing five shots at the officers, one of which passed through the coat of Elmer McNeill, the other giving Policeman Reynolds a close call. He was tried before Justice Skipper and bound over to court on a $1,200 bond. His accomplice, named Williams, escaped.

Sale of Central Hotel.

Charlotte, Special.—The Central Hotel property was purchased for $120,000 at the sale at noon Monday by Capt. W. B. Ryder, acting for the Central Hotel Company, a corporation recently organized with a capital of $200,000, the incorporators representing the Ortes and Wriston heirs, the owners. The sale was a friendly proceeding to enable improvements to be made in the hotel. There was only one bid made.

Mad Dog Runs Amuck.

Winston-Salem.—A mad dog created considerable excitement on North Liberty street about 8 o'clock Monday morning. The animal was of medium size, white with several lemon spots on the back. It bit a pug dog near Centenary church, and a larger dog on Eighth street. Several men and boys with guns and pistols chased the mad canine for half a mile or more before the animal was killed. Mr. R. E. Lessiter, who shot the animal with a pistol, says it bit four or five dogs.

State House Commission.

The State House Commission met Friday and transacted some routine business. The work on the heating plant was inspected and the roof and dome were examined. The commission passed a resolution ordering visitors to keep out of the dome, as the safety of that structure is yet in question.

Invited to Name Commissioner.

Washington, Special.—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, and Sir Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador, called separately at the State Department to present, on behalf of their respective governments, an invitation for the United States to appoint a "high ranking naval officer," as a member of the court of inquiry which will investigate the facts in the Dogger Bank incident.

May Visit Wilmington.

Washington, Special.—The House committee on rivers and harbors met Monday and decided to prepare a river and harbor appropriation bill to be presented early in the coming session of Congress. The comittee also discussed the question of going to Wilmington, N. C., to look into the proposed improvements, a promise to that effect having been made some time ago. The committee will meet again tomorrow.

Virginia's Official Vote.

Richmond, Va., Special.—The State board of canvassers met here Monday and found that the vote of Virginia in the recent presidential election was as follows:

Democratic, 80,638; Republican, 47,450; Populist, 359; Prohibition, 1,382; Social Democracy, 56; Socialist Labor, 218.

The plurality of Parker over Roosevelt in the State is thus shown to have been 34,188.

A DURHAM TRAGEDY

Business Difficulties Lead Up to a Fatal Shooting Affray

W. R. MURRAY KILLS HIS UNCLE

Victim's Own Pistol Turned Against Him After He Had Shot Slayer's Son—The Homicide the Outcome of a Long and Bitter Business Rivalry—Both W. R. Murray, the Slayer, And the Deceased Are Prominently Connected—Coroner to Hold an Inquest This Morning—The Slayer in Custody.

Durham, N. C., Special.—In a street fuel Friday morning about 10 o'clock, J. S. Murray, a prominent citizen, was killed by his nephew, W. R. Murray. The homicide occurred on Main street, in front of the place of business of the deceased, and the killing was done with a pistol belonging to the deceased. After he had fired three shots at his slayer, it was then taken from him and the fatal shot fired. He lived but a few moments after the last shot.

Friday night W. R. Murray, the slayer of the deceased, who is himself a prominent business man, and identified with both the Elk and Masonic lodges, was in charge of the police.

The tragedy is one that has shocked the entire community. Nothing has so stirred Durham in recent years. It came as the result of an ill feeling of several years' standing. Both men were engaged in the music business, and this engendered the bad blood that led up to a fight several years ago, and eventually to this tragedy.

The full facts in the case, so far as can be learned, are as follows: Friday morning, J. S. Murray, the deceased, went out to deliver a piano. He suspicioned that his nephew and business rival had sent a man to watch him. A few minutes after his return two employees in the W. R. Murray house, one his son, Earl, passed the store of the deceased. J. S. Murray came out, stopped them and engaged in conversation, in which he charged that they had followed him in placing an order. While this conversation was in progress W. R. Murray appeared on the scene and pushing apart those who were in the quarrel made some remark about fighting a person his own size. Then the trouble followed. Some witnesses say that Joe Murray, the deceased, stepped back and drew his gun, firing direcet at W. R. Murray. Then the two men closed in on each other and a total of four shots were fired. The last one was fatal to J. S. Murray. He was led back into his store and a moment later he was dead. The slayer turned in the street and surrendered to Dr. N. M. Johnson, who ran up, turning over to him the pistol of the deceased with which the fatal shot was fired. A few moments later he was taken in charge by Chief of Police Woodall and has been in his office since that time.

In the duel J. S. Murray was killed, Earl Murray was shot in the arm and W. R. Murray has a broken finger. It is thought that the first two shots were the ones that wounded Earl Murray, son of the slayer. One of these shots past through his left wrist and the other struck the left hip and glanced. He is not in a serious condition. The prisoner has a broken finger on the left hand. He contends that this was broken in trying to get the pistol from the hands of the man who was trying to kill him. The fatal bullet struck the left breast, ranged upward, severing the artery from which he bled to death.

Russian Loan Concluded.

London, Special.—In London financial circles it is understood that negotiations have practically been concluded for the issue in Berlin and Paris simultaneously in January of 5 per cent. Russian treasury bonds to the value of $260,000,000, for five or seven years, the price taking $100,000,000, and the same French bankers who made the last loan taking $160,000,000.

Farmer Kills His Son.

Knoxville, Tenn., Special.—In a dispute over some farm work, Payne Hickman, a farmer residing in this county, killed his son, Walter, aged 21, striking him a blow on the head with a stick, which broke the young man's neck. The tragedy was witnessed by other members of the family. The young man is said to have been advancing on his father with a drawn knife, when the latter struck him in self-defense. The alleged murderer was arrested, and brought to jail in this city, being unable to furnish bond in $5,000.

Cartoonist Dying in Georgia.

Macon, Ga., Special.—A special from Cave Springs, Ga., says that Charles Neeland, the New York cartoonist, who has been there for some time in search of health, is slowly sinking, and the attending physicians have abandoned all hope. His wife and sister are at his bedside. The cartoonist's home is in Akron, Ohio, and when he has passed away, his remains will be shipped there for interment.

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GOVERNOR AYCOCK STATED IN HIS INAUGURAL ADDRESS THAT UNDER, AND THEREFORE BY IMPLICATION IN CONSEQUENCE OF, FUSION RULE "LAWLESSNESS WALKED THE STATE LIKE A PESTILENCE, CRIME STALKED ABROAD AT NOONDAY, SLEEP LAY DOWN WITH ALARM AND THE SOUND OF THE PISTOL WAS MORE FREQUENT THAN THE SONG OF THE MOCKING BIRD." HOW STANDS THE CASE TO-DAY GOVERNOR? HAVEN'T THE ACTS OF THREE RED SHIRT LEGISLATURES AND MORE THAN TWO YEARS OF YOUR OWN BENEFICENT RULE PASSED INTO HISTORY SINCE YOU PROCLAIMED THE FOREGOING? WHEN YOU ARE CAVORTING OVER THE STATE WHOOPING FOR EDUCATION AND ROADS DON'T YOU HEAR OF MORE CRIMES BEING COMMITED IN NORTH CAROLINA THAN EVER BEFORE AND DO YOU CONTINUE TO ATTRIBUTE THESE TOFUSION RULE?

HOW THE SOUTHERN DEMOCRATIC LEADERS FOOLED THEMSELVES.

The Southern Democratic "leaders" who have succeeded in holding office by crying "nigger" and by ballot box stuffing have been badly shocked by the National election.

They thought that they could make a deal with Wall Street and the trusts to turn down Bryan and support Parker, the trust candidate.

They thought that they could make Booker Washington the issue in the South to hide their treachery there. To carry out the program they elected for National Chairman Mr. Thos. Taggart, of Indiana, whose only reputation in politics was his success in organizing and buying negro votes in the North. They would get money from the trusts to grease the pockets of the "nigger domination howlers" in the South, and to help Taggart and his leaders in the North to buy "nigger" votes. This was the scheme to which Southern democracy, through her treacherous leaders submitted. And at the same time the Northern allies were making earnest play for the negro vote in every State where it is received and counted. Yelling until she was black in the face against negro domination within her own borders, she was willing to accept, and secretly hoping for, control of New York, New Jersey, Illinois and Indiana through the manipulation of the negro vote in these States. And this is the party of political purity and white supremacy! The masses of the Democratic party are as true, as brave and as patriotic people as there are on earth, but they are following false leaders. Henry Watterson, who is well entitled to speak for Southern Democracy, has said over and over again in the last few years that she has no political leaders. Her strongest men—and she has her share of strong men—are engaged in business. They have been developing her material resources, while machine politicians have been pledging and delivering her at National conventions and at the polls to anybody and everything promising a division of the political patronage.

These machine Democratic leaders have not only fooled the people, but they have fooled themselves this time.

The masses of the Democratic party should see to it that they are not fooled by them again.

Why not make the vote for Roosevelt in the electoral college unanimous? The Peoples Paper of Charlotte makes the following graceful suggestion:

"What would be the matter with Messrs. Parker, Debs, Watson and Swallow, going up to the electoral college when the vote is to be cast and offer a joint resolution to make it unanimous? What do you all say?"

The Rochester Post-Express wants the address of "the original Parker man." It is most likely he has committed suicide.

The Electoral College meets the second Monday in January.

DAWN OF A NEW ERA IN THE SOUTH.

Col. John N. Simpson, of Dallas, Texas, who is one of the best known and most highly respected men in the northern portion of the Lone Star State, while in Washington City this week, gave the following interesting interview to a reporter of the Washington Post:

"No vote I ever cast in my life gave me the satisfaction," said Col. Simpson, "as did the ballot I deposited for Col. Roosevelt. I am glad to say that some of the leading men of my town also supported him, and many others would have done so if they could have freed themselves from a life-long habit of voting the Democratic ticket. This reminds me that it is fair to say that the Texas people are becoming more independent in their political action and are beginning to see that it would be to their interest to think and vote for themselves and pay less attention to the behests of partisan leaders. I can say this as a native Southerner and ex-Confederate, and as a Democrat prior to the advent of Bryanism.

"What we want to do down in my country and all over the South is to get in line with the progressive trend of the times; to cease regarding ourselves as a section apart from the rest of the nation; to merge ourselves with the intelligent, solid, and conservative citizenship of the North and East, and to quit voting for men merely because they wear the party brand. Such a change as this is surely coming, and the dawn of a more satisfactory era is almost at hand. In one county in the Panhandle of Texas—a cow region, it is true, and sparsely settled—every vote therein was cast for Roosevelt. As a matter of fact the great mass of the people of my State really like the President; they know him to be as courageous a man as walks the earth and they are certain that he is in favor of a square deal. These are the qualities that have appealed to such a people since the days of Houston and the Alamo."

When the South learns to think for itself instead of taking orders from Wall Street and the money lenders of New York, there will be a greater falling away from the Democratic party than even in the recent election. In the recent election Mr. Roosevelt made gains in nearly every Southern State. Even Florida, away down on the Gulf, gave him an increased vote of 1,268. What is needed in the South is to get the facts before the voters and there will be a great shaking up in the Democratic party.

CONGRESSMAN HAY'S MISTAKE.

Congressman Hay, of Virginia, is out in an interview in which he says the Democratic party of the South ought hereafter to nominate a Southern man for President. He says that if they had done that this time, instead of running after Northern candidates, that they would not this time have lost both Maryland and Missouri.

This is a very narrow view, unless Mr. Hay wants to confine his party to the South and make it purely sectional. The trouble with the Democratic party this time was not that they took a New York candidate, but it was because that candidate stood for everything and nothing. Mr. Hay knows that the Southern Democratic "leaders" took him because they were assured by Belmont and Hill that the trusts and Wall Street wanted Parker and would put up big campaign funds, and elect him, if the Southern Jeffersonian Democrats (God save the mark) would forsake Bayan and surrender to the trusts.

This was the treachery that the people rebuked, while at the same time they paid a magnificent tribute to the honesty, courage and patriotism of President Roosevelt.

We think it is time for both parties to take one of the Presidential candidates from the South.

But the cause of Democratic defeat and humiliation in this election is not a question of location. If a Southern man had been the candidate for President and had been under the same influences that Parker was, he would have been beaten even worse.

The Atlanta Constitution on last Sunday issued a "Cotton Harvest Edition." It gave the pictures of many of the oldest cotton mills and other industries in the South, together with an interesting history of each.

The Greensboro Telegram is for Parker four years hence. The Gold Telegram crippled him for life, and now why add insult to injury?

The Czar of Russia receives the largest salary paid to any ruler in the world, but we haven't heard of any one applying for his job.

Dr. Parkhurst says, "Democracy is full of impure spirits." Dispensary or "moonshine"?

Col. Bryan says that Congress is not a fit place for an honest Democrat. The voters of the country seem to have an idea that Congress is not a fit place for any kind of Democrat—Washington Post.

"But it is noticeable that Col. Bryan did not arrive at this conclusion until after his Senatorial aspirations had been nipped in the bud by the Republican majority in Nebraska.

"Poor Panama. First it had Hezekiah Gudger, then John Barrett, and now the cablegrams say "Taft has arrived in Panama." That country has been inflicted almost beyond its ability to bear inflictions.—News and Observer.

But it hasn't yet been inflicted with the News and Observer, so it still has a great deal to be thankful for.

The next session of the Fifty-eighth Congress begins next Monday and ends the 4th of March.

Keeping Sweet Potatoes.

About seventy per cent of the weight of sweet potato is a sweet liquid. A large per cent of that moisture must evaporate through this coating or the tuber will rot. As the water evaporates when the potatoes touch each other, it causes a softening of the skin and then wet rot sets in. Do not store sweet potatoes in a cellar unless it be a dry basement above ground. Sweet potatoes should be placed in a dry room for three weeks before they are put away to be kept over winter. After they have undergone a sweat they can be easily kept sound by placing then in an upper room and covered so the temperature will not be lower than 33 degree. They may be covered with cotton seed hulls, dry, coarse sand or pine straw. If placed in barrels or boxes and put up in the garret or kitchen where shmoke will ascend, the tubers will remain sound, and in the spring will be sweet and delicious. Red ham gravy and baked sweet potatoes are more palatabie than pound cake.—Southern Agriculturist.

Protection From Rats.

Here is a farmer's mode of ridding his premises of rats and mice, which he gives in the Tennessee Tomahawk:

"If you will sprinkle sulphur on your barn floor and through your corn as you gather it there will not be a rat or mouse about. I have done this for several years and have never been bothered with rats or mice. I have some old corn in my crib at present, and not a rat or mouse can be found. In stacking hay or oats sprinale on the ground and a little through each load, and my word for it, rats or mice can't stay here. A pound of sulphur will be sufficient to preserve a large barn of corn, and it is good for stock and will not hurt the corn for bread."

The Whitley Fertilizer Sower.

The Whitley Fertilizer Sower, invented by Mr. P. A. Whitley, a farmer of Wilson county, will doubtless prove a very useful invention to the farmers of the South. The machine is so regulated that it can place any amount, from one pound to two tons upon an acre of land, and it distributes the guano more regular than the other machines. The inventor tells us that every farmer who has seen this machine work has given him an order for one. He says the beauty of the machine is that you can place guano in windy weather as good as you can in calm and up and down hill with the same regularity as upon level land. If you wish any information in regard to this machine, write Bedford Brown, Raleigh, N. C., or P. A. Whitley, Sun, Wilson county, N. C.

An article entitled "The Remaking of Rural Commonwealth," by Mr. C H. Poe, editor of the Progressive Farmer, appears in the December number of the Review of Reviews.

Left at the Post.

Teacher—Boys, you must all be good and industrious, and there is no telling what high position you may attain. Even the Presidency is within your grasp. Now, all of you who will try to behave as boys should who have a chance to become President, stand up.

All rose except Johnny Jones.

"Why, Johnny, don't you want to be President?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"Why don't you stand up, then?"

"No, use. I ain't got no chance. I'm a Democrat."—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

It is pleasant to note that Elizabeth Calvert Hall, whose short stories of Kentucky life met with such remarkable success in "The Cosmopolitan" a few years ago, has again taken up her pen and publishes in the Christmas number of that magazine one replete with delicious humor entitled "Sweet Day of Rest." "The Cosmopolitan" announces other stories by this author during the coming year.

A scientist now asserts that lying is a disease. The country seems to have just experienced an epidemic of it.—Washington Post.

When the Cyclone Came.

Once a fellow owned a parrot, and the parrot learned to swear.
And the owner tried to break it, but he gave up in despair.
So one day he met a neighbor and for help he did implore,
Saying, "Tell me how to manage so my bird will cuss no more."

Said the neighbor, with a twinkle, "That's an easy thing to do;
Hang the cage up in the porch and spin it 'round a time or two;
While the cage is yet in motion—spinning 'round just like a top—
Dash a pail of water on it, and don't let the spinning stop.

"Keep it in constant motion for a minute and a half,
And your bird will look so funny that you'll just be bound to laugh;
He'll be dizzy and bedrabbled and his poor old head will swim,
But he'll swear no more forever—this will scare it out of him."

So the owner of the parrot, much delighted with the scheme,
Went directly home and tried it, but it proved an empty dream.
When the cage had ceased revolving Spake the bird in language strong,
Saying: "Where'n h—l was you at when the cyclone come along?"

Thus the little parrot, Parker, from the bottom of his cage—
Feathers wet and dropped and drabbled, voice trembling with rage
Looked upon our gallant Teddy as he stands serene and grand,
Laying: "Where'n h—l was you at when the cyclone struck the land?"

—JAMES LARKIN PEARSON.

Four Years More.

The results of last Tuesday's battle might be fully summed up as meaning—

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Four years more of opportunity for the American boy, of hope for the American man, of profit for the American producer, of success for the American manufacturer, of employment for the American capital.

Four years more of everything that makes for the glory, the stability and the pepetuity of the greatest Republic the sun ever shone upon.

It means all these things and it means in addition that so long as intelligence, courage and patriotism shall guide the hands and move the hearts of Americon citizens as they were guiped and moved last Tuesday this nation will never call in vain for defenders of its honor, its institutions and its flag.—Clinton Caucasian.

Bitten By Mad Dog.

Louisburg, N. C., November 28.—Mr Osborne Yarboro, bitten by a mad dog at Mebane, has gone to Pasteur Institute, Baltimore, for treatment, Dr. J. E. Malone going with him. No blood was drawn by the bite and it is hoped that he is not inoculated.

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Harbor Improvements.

Washington, November 28.—The House Committee on Rivers and Harbors met today and decided to prepare a river and harbor appropriation bill to be presented early in the coming session of Congress The committee also discussed the question of going to Wilmington, N. C., to look into the proposed improvements there, a promise to that effect having been made sometime ago. The committee will meet again tomorrow.

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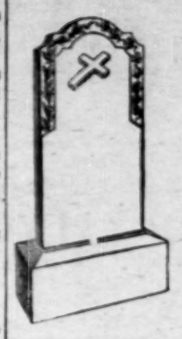

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FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

Some Squibs of Interest We Have Gathered With Our Paste-Pot and Shears.

No one can say now that our President is an "accident."—Asheville Register.

It sounds mighty queer to hear men who voted for Parker rejoice at Roosevelt's election, but it is a daily occurrence. Strange that men will not vote like they pray!—Shelby Aurora.

Since the election we have heard several men who voted for Parker say they were glad Roosevelt was elected. Wonder if they voted against their judgment to gratify their prejudice?—North Wilkesboro Journal.

The Prohibition candidate for Governor got all of 7 votes in Wake County. Where was Editor Bailey and his Watt Law temperance following?—Union Republican.

Governor-elect Glenn announces that he has already over six hundred applications for the few places he has to fill. Still our Democratic friends never seek the pie counter. Their motives are simply patriotic—nothing more.—State Republican Journal.

Some want the next legislature to stay in session 30 days. No need of that. Let them meet and outline what will help the party and feed the people, and then leave it for the Supreme court to make the laws. What else is the court for?—Times Mercury.

It's proposed that the legislature appropriate money to build the State Hospitals larger. As has been suggested, why not change the name back to State Lunatic Asylum? That would leave room for more of the really unfortunates. And build larger if needed, of course.—Times Mercury.

The North Carolina Supreme Court decides that the statute providing that if a man is acquitted of murder on the plea of insanity and is committed to the criminal insane department at the penitentiary he shall remain there, even if he regains his right mind, until a special act of the Legislature shall restore him to liberty, is unconstitutional. This law was enacted in 1899.—Ex.

A son of ex-Governor Brown of Georgia, has suggeststed that the right thing to do would be for the Parker electors to vote for Roosevelt and make it unanimous, as it came so near being so. He carried everything except a few Southern States and they need to do something to attone, if possible, for the unjust attack they made upon him personally. In our opinion, those politicians who indulged in this abuse will soon see that Pseident Roosevelt is the best friend the South has had in the White House since the Civil war.—Shelby Aurora.

"France is well into a revolution so drastic, so subversive, that, althought it is only in its initial stages, one must go as far back as the great Revolution for a parallel," writes David Graham Phillips in the December "Cosmopolitan." And he continues: "If the revolution were merely a separation of church and state as the news despatches declare, we could afford to neglect it. But it is far, far deeper, far more significant It is a surging up of forces which will presently be shaking the world." The awakening of the electorate in France to the true idea of a democratic republic, with the resulting activities, which constitutes the present French revolution, is very graphically set forth and explained by Mr. Phillips.

One striking feature of the table of contents of the December "Twentieth Century Home" is the number of people of high authority in various spheres of work who write on their special subjects for the magazine. This month we note Havelock Ellis, "Spanish Dancing"; Garret P. Servis, "The Fairland of Science"; Harry Thurston Peck, "For the Woman Who Reads"; Dr. Watson L. Savage, "Home Exercise for Growing Children"; Dr. James H. Canfield, Librarian of Columbia University, "The World's Five Hundred Best books"; Mrs. N. M. Slateer, "Studies in Home Dressmaking"; Rafford Pyke, "Women as Economises."

Three Days of Fighting.

With the Russian Forces at Shenking, Nov. 28.—The attack by the Japanese upon Gen. Rennenkampf's position on November 24th, resulted in three days' fighting at Tsingkhetchen, near De Pass. Though the Japanese have been repulsed the fighting still continues. The Japanese have succeeded in placing several big siege guns in position with which they will be able to seriously harrass the Russians.

Drought in Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky, Nov. 28.—The record breaking drouth in Kentucky is beginning to decreose the milk supply in Louisville. Several dairies have put their customers on half an allowance and confectioners are unable to secure enough milk for use in making certain kinds of candy. A number of distillers have suspended operations until rain falls. In a number of small places the citizens are buying water and farmers are compelled in many instances to drive stock several miles to water. For more than a month the Southern Railway has been hauling water to its Shelbyville tanks and for the past three weeks it has been hauling ten carloads of water a day. Freight engines running between Lawrenceburg and Lexington and Lawrenceburg and Burgen are carrying double water tanks.

In many churches yesterday prayers were offered for rain and to-day the Weather Bureau announces a psibility of showers within 48 hours.

Shot Foreigners.

Monroe, N. C., Nov. 28.—Marion Cummings, colored, and Fred Howard, a white boy, shot and seriously wounded two foreigners who were traveling with a monkey this evening without provocation. They also shot the mokey to death. Cummings has been taken but Howard is at large. They will be given a preliminary hearing in the morning at 9 o'clock. The people of the town are very much incensed over the affair and will see to it that Cummings and Howard are severely prosecuted.

Snow Stops Fighting.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 28.—General Sakharoff today telegraphs as follows:

"The Japanese attack on Tsinkhetchen was checked by our artillery fire and the fighting ceased at 6 o'clock in the evening of November 27. At no point did the enemy advance nearer than within six hundred paces of our position. In the midst of the battle a blinding snow storm caused a suspension of hostilities, and when the weather cleared at 3 o'clock in the afternoon a turning movement against our right flank was observed."

Now is the Time.

Congress convenes Monday and will be in session until 4th of March. The State Legislature will begin its session in January and end in March. Now is the time to subscribe for THE CAUCASIAN as you will want to keep posted as to what Congress and the Legislature are doing. Send us one dollar for one year's subscription and keep posted. If you cannot subscribe for one year, send 25 cents and we will send you the CAUCASIAN until 4th of March, or in clubs of five for 15 cents.

Fire at Clinton Destroys Property to Value of $15,000.

Clinton, N. C., Nov. 29.—Clinton was visited by a disastrous fire at noon to-day. It started at the storage warehouse of the Carolina Crate Factory, near the depot, and from there was blowd by a strong wind to the Sampson tobacco warehouse and prizerly, both of which were burned together with some three thousand dollars worth of tobacco.

The total loss will be about $15,000, with $10,000 insurance.

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Palmer Jordan, a farmer living at Danielion, Cnnn., is doing almost all the wood-cutting in his neighborhood at a low rate. He bought an old automobile in Providence, R. I., a few weeks ago and fixed it up so that he can attach a belt to the machinery to run a saw. He carries the saw around in the automobile and goes from one farmer to another cutting their wood for them

Sweet Religion.

Havana, Nov. 28.—The House to-day by a vote of 37 to 10 passed the bill prohibiting religious processions in the streets. There were spirited speeches against any enactment having a semblance of the curtailment of religious libert; but the majority contended that it was not proper to force a spectacular form of worship upon the people by parading it in the streets.

The Simple Truth.

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Kadley—Oh! you wouldn't tell me the truth.

Miss Pepprey—Oh! yes, I would.

Kadley—Well, what is it?

Miss Pepprey—None of your business?—Philidelphia Press.

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Carthage, N. C., Nov. 28.—R. A. Britt, who was tried for his life last week for the killing of W. H. Moore, was convicted of murder in the second degree and sentenced by Judge Peoples to a term of twenty-five years in the penitentiary.

QUICK ARREST.

J. A. Gulledge of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflamation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c. at all druggists.

Court Abandoned Account of Smallpox.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 29.—Owing to the prevalence of small pox in the county the two weeks term of Onslow Superior court appointed to begin next Monday has been abandoned.

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8:23	Chalybeate	5:33
8:40	Fuquay Springs	5:50
8:55	Willow Springs	6:05
9:10	McCullers	6:20
9:20	Barnes	6:30
9:35	Caraleigh Mills	6:45
2:10	Caraleigh Mills	7:40
2:22	Barnes	7:52
2:35	McCullers	8:05
2:50	Willow Springs	8:20
3:10	Fuquay Springs	8:40
3:27	Chalybeate	8:57

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—E. Nesbit in London Outlook.

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I had a valuable cow drop her calf on a Friday morning. I left her with her calf in the yard all day and let her go to pasture with others at night. Saturday morning she came to the barn wabbling, and about 7 o'clock went down. As I have been engaged in the dairy busines more than forty years I knew very well what the trouble was. The glassy eye, difficult breathing, drooping ears all told too plainly that she had the dreaded milk fever. We used the milking tub and bicycle pump, filled one side of her udder full, rolled her over and pumped other side full of air, then tied soft cord around teats. This was done about 8 a. m., and at noon she got up and went to eating hay. At night we took off the strings and milked out the wind. Next morning I let her go to the field with the others, and she is to all appearances entirely cured. Should add that we gave her a drench of one pound salts and two ounces of ginger at first. She is coming to her milk rapidly. If this treatment proves reliable it will be a boon to dairymen. —A. Haven, in Michigan Farmer.

LIVE STOCK ITEMS.

A well-known stockman of Oregon says that the way to prevent forest fires is to turn sheep into the woods in the summer time. The sheep keep the grass and underbrush eaten off so closely that the fire does not spread. While grass grows better where the sheep feed, it does not get so tall and dry, and does not carry fire as the dry uncropped grass and bushes. He claims to speak from forty years' experience in the Blue Mountain forests, where they have pastured sheep for that time, and have not had a destructive fire, while the forests of Western Oregon and Washington blaze regularly every summer, filling the air with smoke until the fall rains appear. Perhaps Angora goats would be better, but we are not sure that they would prove as profitable in Oregon or Maine as the sheep, or at any point between those extremes. We know what to expect from sheep, but we have to form our opinion of the goats from what is said by those who are raising them to sell, or by those who have lately become interested in them, and who, like some other new converts, are more zealous than wise.

USE OF BORDEAUX MIXTURE.

A letter comes from New Bethlehem, Pa., asking in regard to spraying: "Is there any danger from spraying with the Bordeaux mixture about four to six weeks before plums ripen? I am anxious not to do any one injury, although instructions sometimes say spray two weeks before ripening." I do not see that there could be the least value in spraying with Bordeaux while fruit is ripening, or just before. Bordeaux should have been applied just as foliage started in the spring, and then again, in connection with the arsenites, twice later. If there is any sign of mildew or other fungoid difficulty, spray the trees just after picking, and do it thoroughly. Bordeaux applied with lime about the time that the fruit is beginning to ripen would show on the fruit and ruin it for market. It is not likely that any serious damage would occur from eating it two or three weeks after its application, unless arsenites are mixed with it. It is a commendable point in Mr. McMillan, who writes this letter, to be careful about the use of poisons. There is a great deal of recklessness in the use of arsenic, and certainly Bordeaux mixture needs caution.—E. J. Powell, in the Tribune Farmer.

RAISING CALVES BY HAND.

In the Channel Islands, the native home of the Jersey, much importance is attached to the practice in vogue of raising the calves by hand. They are never allowed to suck, and consequently never have to pass through the ordeal of being weaned. The rearer has perfect command of the feed given the calf, and can vary it as the occasion may seem to require. It makes the animal more docile, and increases his attachment to the keeper, on whom he has to depend from the first.

Some of the most painstaking and successful calf raisers begin by giving the calf only a pint of the first milk that comes every few hours for several days. After the first week skimmilk for half the ration is mixed with new milk, increasing each time the amount of skimmed milk and withdrawing proportionately the whole milk. The milk should always be fed warm, at 100 degrees, that being blood heat, and then there is no checking the process of digestion.

By the time the calf is a month old it is allowed to eat some very nice fine hay or rowen. The hay has a tendency to regulate the bowels and prevent scours, a disease dreaded by calf raisers. If the bowels are constipated, give the milk at a lower temperature; if too loose, give the milk as hot as the calf will drink it. If diarhœa is troublesome, diminish the amount of milk, feed it very warm, and give two raw eggs at each feeding. If the eggs fail, which they rarely do, give a tablespoonful of castor oil and the same of olive oil, with a teaspoonful of paregoric mixed in a pint of hot milk. Follow the oils with a teaspoonful of pulverized chalk in each feed of milk until the symptoms disappear. —M. A. Clapp, in Michigan Farmer.

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	Daily No. 31	Daily No. 42
Lv. NY., P. R. R.,	12 25 pm	12 10 am
Lv. Philadelphia	2 55 pm	7 20 am
Lv. Baltimore	5 10 pm	9 34 am
Lv. Wash., W. S. Ry.	7 00 pm	10 46 am
Lv. Richmond, S.A.L.	10 35 pm	2 15 pm
Lv. Petersburg	11 17 pm	2 52 pm
Lv. Norlina	1 57 am	5 10 pm
Lv. Henderson	2 25 am	5 41 pm
Lv. Raleigh	4 00 am	7 10 pm
Lv. Southern Pines	6 00 am	9 05 pm
Lv. Hamlet	7 00 am	10 10 am
Lv. Columbia	10 00 am	1 20 am
Ar. Savannah	2 20 pm	4 15 am
Ar. Jacksonville	6 10 pm	9 00 am
Ar. St. Augustine	9 15 pm	10 50 pm
Ar. Tampa	6 05 am	6 35 pm
	No. 38	No. 41.
Lv. N. Y., N.Y.P. & N.	7 55 am	8 25 pm
Lv. Philadelphia	10 16 am	11 05 pm
Lv. N. Y., O.D.S.S.Co	3 00 pm	
Lv. Baltimore, B. S.P.Co.		6 30 pm
Lv. Wash., N. & W.S.B.		6 30 pm
Lv. Portsmouth, S. A. L.	9 30 am	9 25 am
Lv. Weldon	12 12 am	11 55 pm
Lv. Norlina	1 59 am	1 40 pm
Lv Henderson	2 25 am	2 10 pm
Lv. Raleigh	4 15 am	4 00 pm
Lv. Southern Pines	6 20 am	6 16 pm
Lv. Hamlet	7 35 am	10 40 pm
Lv. Wilmington		3 10 pm
Ar. Charlotte	10 08 am	10 45 pm
Lv. Chester	10 30 am	1 10 am
Lv. Greenwood	12 33 pm	3 53 am
Lv. Athens	2 50 pm	6 35 am
Ar. Atlanta ‡	3 55 pm	8 30 am
Ar. Augusta, C. & W. C.	5 20 pm	
Ar. Macon, C. of Ga.,	7 20 pm	11 10 am
Ar. Montg., A. & W.P.	9 20 pm	6 25 pm
Ar. Mobile, L. & N.	2 55 am	
Ar. N. Orleans, L. & N.	7 15 am	
Ar. Nash., N.C. & St.L.	6 40 am	6 55 pm
Ar. Memphis	3 45 pm	8 45 am

NORTHWARD

	Daily No. 32.	Daily No. 38
Lv. Mem., N.C. & St.L.	12 45 noon	8 00 pm
Lv. Nashville	9 30 pm	9 30 am
Lv. New Or., L. & N.,	8 15 pm	
Lv. Mobile, L. & N.	12 40 am	
Lv. Montg., A. & W.P	6 55 am	1 00 pm
Lv. Macon, C. of Ga.	8 00 am	4 20 pm
Lv. Augu., C. & W. C.	10 10 am	
Lv. Atlanta, S. A. L.	12 00 noon	8 00 pm
Ar Athens	2 57 pm	11 23 pm
Ar Greenwood	5 15 pm	1 55 am
Ar. Chester	7 17 pm	4 00 am
Ar. Charlotte	7 25 pm	5 01 am
Lv. Wilmington	3 10 pm	
Lv. Hamlet	10 30 pm	7 30 pm
Lv. South. Pines	11 15 pm	8 30 am
Lv. Raleigh	1 20 am	11 00 am
Lv. Henderson	2 48 am	12 37 pm
Lv. Norlina	3 30 am	1 40 pm
Lv. Weldon	5 05 am	3 00 pm
Ar. Portsmouth	7 50 am	5 30 pm
Ar. Wash., N. & W.S.B.		6 55 am
Ar. Balti., B.S.P.Co.		6 30 am
Ar. N. Y., O.D.S.S.Co		5 00 pm
Ar. Phil., N.Y.P. & N	5 46 pm	5 10 am
Ar. New York	8 15 pm	8 00 am
	No. 50	No. 66
Lv. Tampa, S. A. L. Ry.	8 30 pm	8 50 am
Lv. St. Augustine	7 30 am	6 20 pm
Lv. Jacksonville	9 00 am	7 50 pm
Lv. Savannah	1 15 pm	12 10 am
Lv. Columbia	6 55 pm	5 30 am
Lv. Hamlet	10 30 pm	8 50 am
Lv. South. Pines	11 15 pm	9 35 am
Lv. Raleigh	1 20 am	11 35 am
Lv. Henderson	2 48 am	1 00 pm
Lv. Norlina	3 23 am	1 50 pm
Lv. Petersburg	5 27 am	4 02 pm
Ar. Richmond	6 10 am	4 55 pm
Ar. Wash., W.S.Ry.	9 50 am	8 36 pm
Ar. Baltimore, P. R. R	11 25 am	11 25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	1 40 pm	2 56 am
Ar. New York	4 15 pm	6 30 am

Note.—† Daily, except Sunday.
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Grecian Sisters Fight Duel.

All fashionable Athens is gossiping about a sensational occurrence which took place a short time ago in the family of a wealthy Greek merchant. A handsome young Englishman was one of the parties concerned. The Englishman, who was on intimate terms with the merchant's family, had unwittingly captured the hearts of the two pretty daughters of the house. Some preference shown by the son of Albion for the younger maiden led to an embittered quarrel, which culminated in a duel. After the family had retired to rest, the girls rose from their beds, and taking their brothers' swords, proceeded in their nightgowns to the garden. There in the moonlight they began to fight. Fortunately for the fair duellists, their weapons were too heavy to be wielded with much effect, and when one sister, slightly wounded in the breast, shrieked, their father came on the scene and stopped the duel.

DISBELIEVER.

Wife—Do you believe that marriage is a lottery?

Husband—No; I don't.

Wife—Why not?

Husband—Because when a man draws a blank in a lottery he can tear it up and take another chance.—Chicago News.

HAD BEEN DEAD TWICE.

Russian Peasant Had Peculiar Claim to Distinction.

It is commonly supposed that man can die only once, but an old Russian peasant, named Samsonoff, who expired recently in the village of Lotschka, at the age of 95, held a different opinion, boasting that he had been dead twice and had come to life again.

His first demise took place during the siege of Sebastopol, when he was 15. He was struck by a fragment of shell, picked up for dead, and thrown on a heap of corpses awaiting burial. After three days he regained his senses, managed to free himself from the bodies which had meantime accumulated on top of him, crawled to the hospital, and was ultimately cured.

In 1879, having reached the allotted span, he died once more, this time suddenly in his bed. Arrangements were made for the funeral, but four days after his decease he sat up in bed and clamored for a pipe. His death certificates were proudly treasured, and served to convince him that he had actually expired on two occasions. He fell into a rage at the least suggestion of a trance or lethargy. When informed that he was about to die for the third time, he received the news with unconcern, hoping, in spite of his great age, to revive once more. This hope, however, was baseless, although every possible test was applied before burial.

Remarkable Triplets.

Triplets were born recently to Mr. and Mrs. I. Goldfaden of Cleveland. A remarkable fact about the newly arrived, in addition to their unusually great weight, is that they divide up 24 pounds evenly among them, each tipping the scales at exactly eight pounds. Two are boys and one is a girl.

Icebergs are the product of Greenland glaciers and are formed by the thousand in the far northern fiords. As the glaciers sweep into the sea they "calve" or throw off mighty blocks, and these are what we know as icebergs.

Preacher Shoots at Judge.

San Francisco, Special.—Rev. Isaac Selby, of Australia, plaintiff in a damage suit, shot at Superior Judge Hebbard while the latter was on the bench. The bullet came within an inch of the judge's head, and lodged in the back of his chair. Selby was at once removed to the city prison and charged with an attempt to commit murder. Selby recently was sued for divorce. He conducted his own defense, but was unsuccessful, a decree against him being granted.

The carcass of an elephant in the Ghent Zoological Gardens, which had been killed, was bought by a local pork butcher, who transformed it into frankfurter sausages. He was able to manufacture no fewer than 3800 pounds of sausages, which sold like hot cakes.

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Jews whose language is Spanish abound in the East.

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It is suggested that bees be used as carriers of military dispatches.

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References:—Chas. B. Farmer, Banker, Allendale, S. C.; C. F. Calhoun, President Bank of Barnwell, Barnwell, S. C.

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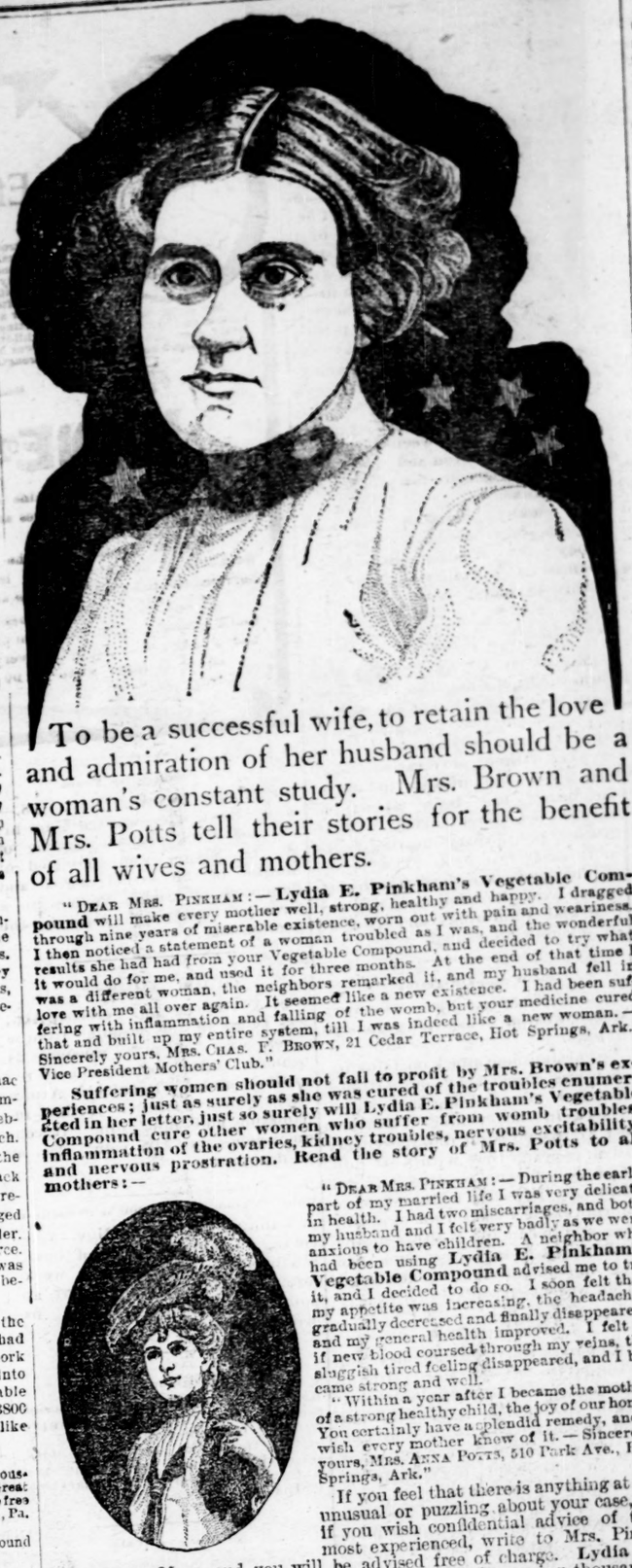

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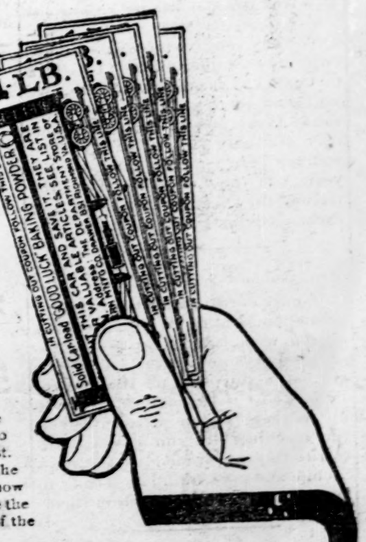

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CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

Dated May 8th, 1902.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

	No. 23. Daily A.M.	No. 35. Daily P.M.	No. 103. Daily ex Sun A.M.	No. 41. Daily P.M.
Lv Weldon	11 50	9 25	....	....
Ar Rocky Mount	1 00 P.M.	10 32	....	....
Lv Tarboro	12 12	....	7 52	....
Lv Rocky Mount	1 00	10 32	7 52	5 6
Lv Wilson	1 59	11 19	8 41	6 4
Lv Selma	2 55	11 59	....	....
Lv Fayetteville	4 10	1 09	....	....
Ar Florence	7 35	4 20	....	....
	P.M.	A.M.		
Ar Goldsboro	....	....	9 35	....
Lv Goldsboro	....	....	....	7 0
Lv Magnolia	....	....	....	8 0
Ar Wilmington	....	....	P.M.	10 4

Train No. 49 daily, leaves Rocky Mount at 12 32 p. m., Wilson 2 40 p m, Goldsboro 3 55 p m, Magnolia 4 25 p m, arrives Wilmington 6 p m.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 78. Daily ex Sun A.M.	No. 102. Daily A.M.	No. 32. Daily P.M.	No. 8. Daily P.M.
Lv Florence	10 05	....	8 05	....
Lv Fayetteville	12 40	....	10 40	....
Lv Selma	2 10	....	11 25	....
Ar Wilson	2 57	....	12 07	....
			A.M.	P.M.
Lv Wilmington	....	....	....	7 0
Lv Magnolia	....	....	....	8 0
Lv Goldsboro	....	....	7 35	8 0
	P.M.	....	A.M.	P.M.
Lv Wilson	2 35	8 20	11 34	10 4
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30	9 00	12 10	11 2
Ar Tarboro	....	9 34	....	....
Lv Tarboro	3 31	....	12 11	....
Lv Rocky Mount	3 50	....	12 43	....
Ar Weldon	4 58	....	1 37	....
	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

Train No. 48, daily, leaves Wilmington 9 05 a m, Magnolia 10 58 a m, Goldsboro 12 26 a m, Wilson 1 13 p m, and arrives at Rocky Mount at 1 53 p m.

Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington, 9:10 a. m., arrives Fayetteville 12:20 p. m., leaves Fayetteville 12:42 p. m. arrives Sanford 1:3 p. m. Returning leaves Sanford 3:3 p. m., arrive Fayetteville 4:20 p. m. leave Fayetteville 4:30 p. m., arrive Wilmington 7:15 p. m.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8:10 a. m., Maxton 9:0 a. m., Red Springs, 9:32 a. m., Parkton 10:41 a. m., Hope Mills 10:55 a. m. arrive Fayetteville 11:10. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4:45 p. m., Hope Mills 5:00 p. m., Red Springs 5:41 p. m., Maxton 6:16 p. m., arrives Bennettsville 7:15 p. m.

Connections at Fayetteville with train No. 78 at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railway, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3:15 p. m., Halifax 3:39 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4:10 p. m., Greenville 5:47 p. m., Kinston 6:45 p. m. Returning leaves Kinston 7:30 a. m., Greenville 8:30 a. m., arriving Halifax at 11:06 a. m., Weldon 11:20 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8:30 a.m., and 1:45 p. m., arrive Parmele 8:55 a. m., and 3:10 p. m., returning leave Parmele 9:15 a. m. and 5:22 p. m., arrive Washington 10:35 a. m. and 6:15 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday 4:35 p. m., Sunday, 4:35 p. m., arrives Plymouth 6:35 p. m., 6:30 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday 7:30 a. m., and Sunday 9:00 a. m., arrives Tarboro 9:55 a. m., 11:00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro daily except Sunday 6:00 a. m., arriving Smithfield 6:30 a. m., returning leaves Smithfield 7:00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 8:25 a. m.

Trains on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount 9:30 a. m., 4:00 p. m., arrive Nashville 10:20 a. m., 4:23 p. m. Spring Hope 11:00 a. m., 4:45 p. m. returning leave Spring Hope 11:20 a. m., 5:05 p. m., Nashville 11:45 a. m., 5:45 p. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 12:10 p. m., 6:20 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Wilson for Clinton daily, except Sunday 8:30 a. m. and 4:15 pp. m. Returning leaves Clinton at 7:00 a. m., and 10:00 p. m.

Train No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North daily all rail via Richmond.

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Time Table No. 28, to take effect Sunday, November 9th, 1902, at 7:05 a. m., Eastern Standard Time. Supersedes Time Table No. 27, of June 8, 1902.

Pass. Daily 1st c	Pass. Daily 1st c	STATIONS	Pass. Daily 1st c.	Pass. Daily 1st c.
A.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.
8 00	3 30	Lv Goldsboro Ar	11 05	6 30
f 8 18	f 3 53	Best's	10 43 f	6 08
8 26	3 59	LaGrange	10 32	5 57
f 8 37	f 4 10	Falling Creek	10 22 f	5 46
8 48	4 22 Ar	Kinston Lv	10 12	5 37
	Lv	Kinston Junc		
f 9 02	f 4 38	Caswell	9 58 f	5 23
9 13	4 43 Ar	Dover Lv	9 43	5 17
	Lv	Hines Siding	9 31	5 00
9 30	5 03	Core Creek	9 20	4 50
9 50	5 19	Tuscarora	9 12 f	4 42
f 9 56	f 5 25	Clark's		
		Neuse Crossing	Lv 9 00	4 30
10 10	5 40 Ar	New Bern Ar	8 37	
	5 50 Lv			
	6 02	James City	8 13 f	
	f 6 15	Riverdale	8 01 f	
	f 6 18	Croatan	8 00	
	6 30	Havelock	7 46	
	6 43	Newport	7 30 f	
	f 6 49	Wildwood	7 25 f	
	f 6 54	Atlantic	7 27	
	7 05	Morehead City		
		Ar Atlantic Hotel Lv	7 05	
	7 15 Ar	M. City Depot Lv	7 00	
A.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.

Train No. 9, freight, leaves Newbern at 1 30 pm, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, second-class.

Train No. 10, freight, arrives at Newbern at 10 45 am, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, second-class.

f Stop on signal.

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